

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

MAJOR GEORGE TILLERY,	:	CIVIL ACTION
Petitioner,	:	
	:	
v.	:	NO. 20-cv-2675
	:	
KENNETH EASON, et al.,	:	
Respondents.	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, this day of , 20__, upon careful and independent consideration of the petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, and after review of the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Lynne A. Sitarski, IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The Report and Recommendation is APPROVED and ADOPTED.
2. Respondents' Motion for a Stay and Abeyance (ECF No. 23) is GRANTED.
3. The petition for writ of habeas corpus is STAYED and held in ABEYANCE parties engage in voluntary open-file discovery.
4. Respondents shall notify the District Court within seven days of the conclusion of discovery.

BY THE COURT:

PETRESE B. TUCKER, J.